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# Sonic

THE HEDGEHOG

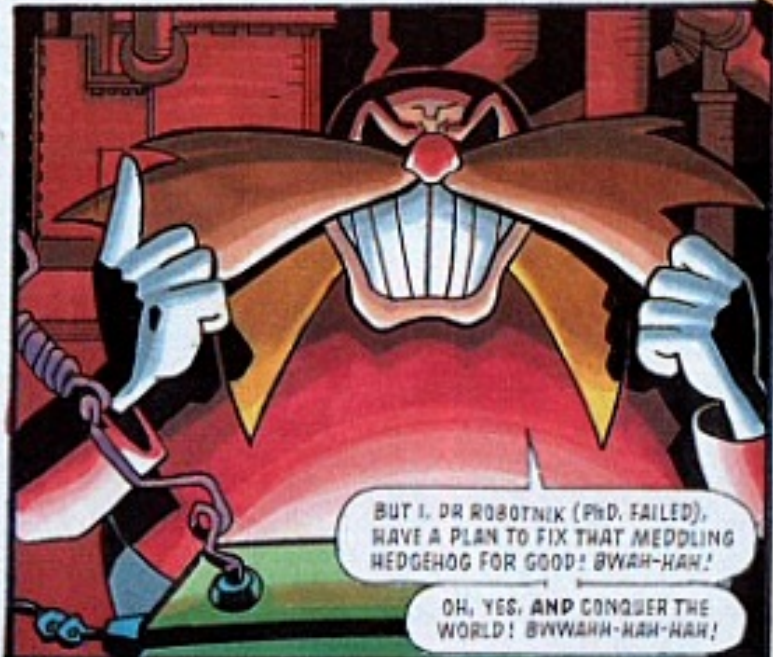
ENTER: SONIC

THE PLANET ARBUIUS...

GREEN HILL ZONE.



ELSEWHERE, A SINISTER FIGURE WATCHES.



BUT I, DR ROBOTNIK (PHD. FAILED),  
HAVE A PLAN TO FIX THAT MEDDLING  
HEDGEHOG FOR GOOD! BWAH-HAH!

OH, YES, AND CONQUER THE  
WORLD! BWHAH-HAH-HAH!



# Shinobi

## The FEAR Pavilion part 1

IBAKARI PROVINCE, JAPAN.

IN A SEQUESTERED GARDEN,  
A LITHE FIGURE GLIDES  
SILENTLY OVER THE HIGH WALL.

HIS NAME IS JOE MUSASHI  
AND HE SEEKS OUT MEMBERS  
OF THE NEO ZEED — A  
SINISTER CLAN OF ASSASSINS.

RRAARRR!

HE HAS PLEDGED HIMSELF  
TO CLEANSING THEIR EVIL  
FROM THE FACE  
OF THE EARTH.

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## Citadel of Dead Souls

Part 1

AW, NO!  
HOW DO WE GET  
IN THESE  
SITUATIONS?

I'M  
READY FOR  
TROUBLE!

WELL, I  
AMN'T! IT'S LUNCH-  
TIME!

STRIKE,  
BROTHERS!

HERE,  
LIZARD CHOPS!  
HAVE A RAT-  
BURGER!

CAN'T YOU  
SEE I'M TRYING TO  
DO SOME SHOPPING  
HERE, YOU  
CREEPS?

GAKK!

SWISH!





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